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January 15, 1980

Mr. Herbert M. Campbell II
Vice President & Secretary
Ranchers Exploration and Development Corp.
1776 Montano Road, N.W., Box 6217
Albuquerque, New Mexico 87197

Re: Final Approval
Small Fry Mine
ACT/037/022

Dear Mr. Campbell:

On January 11, 1980 the Division received the fully executed Mined Lands Reclamation Contract from Ranchers Exploration for the Small Fry Mine. As this completes all the requirements under the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act, the Division hereby issues final approval for the above mentioned mine.

Please be reminded of Rule M-8(b) of the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act which requires that an Annual Operations and Progress Report be submitted to the Division for each active mining operation at the end of each calendar year. Please complete the enclosed form for 1979 and return it to the Division.

Should you have any further questions, do not hesitate to contact this office.

Sincerely,

RONALD W. DANIELS
COORDINATOR OF MINED
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